

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>In re United States Patent Application of:</b>	)	<b>Docket No.:</b>	<b>020884.000014</b>
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<b>13 June 2007</b>	)		
<b>Title:</b>	)		
<b>THERMALLY REACTIVE INFRARED</b>	)		
<b>ABSORPTION POLYMERS AND</b>	)		
<b>THEIR USE IN A HEAT SENSITIVE</b>	)		
<b>LITHOGRAPHIC PRINTING PLATE</b>	)		
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**RESPONSE TO THE MARCH 3, 2010 OFFICE ACTION; REQUEST FOR CONTINUED  
EXAMINATION; AND REQUEST FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION UNDER 37 CFR  
§1.136(a) IN U.S. PATENT APPLICATION NO. 10/599,657**

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Sir:

This responds to the March 3, 2010 Office Action in the above-identified application.

The claims of the application are set out in the following **Section I (The Claims)**.

Remarks addressing the substance of the March 3, 2010 Office Action are set out in the **Section II (Remarks)** hereof.